

1 What is claimed is:

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1 A method of compiling electronic data comprising:
2 (a) receiving electronic data on a computing platform from at least one external source;
3 (b) inserting at least a portion of the collected data into one or more data fields, wherein said
4 one or more data fields comprise an electronic scoreboard of interrelated data;
5 (c) updating said electronic scoreboard of data; and
6 (d) calculating at least one measurement of updated scoreboard data.

1 2. The method of claim 1, wherein said at least one external source comprises a remote
2 computing platform coupled by a network to the computing platform that receives the electronic
3 data.

1 3. The method of claim 2, wherein said at least one external source further comprises data
2 collection software executing on said remote computing platform.

1 4. The method of claim 1, wherein updating said electronic scoreboard of data comprises
2 removing at least a portion of collected electronic data after a particular amount of time has
3 elapsed.

1 5. The method of claim 1, wherein updating said electronic scoreboard of data comprises
2 removing at least a portion of collected electronic data after a particular amount of data is
3 collected.

1 6. The method of claim 1, wherein said one or more data fields contain one or more periodically
2 updated lists of related electronic data values.

1 7. A method of reporting electronic data, said method comprising:

2 (a) retrieving at least a portion of one or more measurement values;
3 (b) comparing a least a portion of one or more measurement values to one or more
4 threshold values;
5 (c) determining whether to designate at least a portion of the electronic data related to the
6 one or more measurement values for reporting, based at least in part on the comparison;
7 and

8 (d) sending at least the portion of the electronic data designated for reporting to a remote
9 device.

1 8. The method of claim 7, wherein the one or more measurement values comprise statistical
2 values obtained from a sample of the electronic data.

3 9. The method of claim 8, wherein said one or more threshold values comprise one or more
4 numerical values that relate at least in part to said statistical values.

10. The method of claim 7 wherein the electronic data comprises text data.

1 11. The method of claim 7, wherein comparing comprises:

2 comparing the one or more threshold values to the one or more measurement values, and
3 issuing at least one electronic report if the one or more measurement values exceeds the one or
4 more threshold values.

12. The method of claim 7, wherein the one or more threshold values are configurable.

13. The method of claim 12, wherein the configuration is determined by a user.

14. The method of claim 7, wherein the remote device comprises a computing platform capable of
receiving electronic data.

15. A method of generating electronic reports, said method comprising:

(a) collecting electronic data from at least one external source;

(b) inserting the collection of electronic data into a plurality of associated data fields;

(c) assigning scores to at least a portion of the data contained in the plurality of data fields;

(d) issuing electronic reports based at least in part on said scores.

i 16. the method of claim 15, wherein steps (b), (c) and (d) are repeated based at least in part on
2 additional collected electronic data.

I 17. A method of data reduction comprising:

2 receiving interrelated electronic data regarding electronic transactions occurring via at least one
3 selected web site;

4 compiling said interrelated data into a plurality of data fields, said data fields arranged to provide
5 sample statistics of said interrelated data;

6 updating said interrelated electronic data fields with additional data regarding more recent
7 electronic transactions occurring via said at least one selected web site, wherein said updating
8 updates said sample statistics;
9 after at least one update, comparing said updated sample statistics with at least one preset
10 threshold value; and
11 generating at least one report based at least in part on the comparison.

1 18. The method of claim 17, wherein said sample statistics comprise at least the mean and
2 standard deviation.

1 19. The method of claim 17, wherein said threshold value is configurable.

1 20. The method of claim 17, and further comprising:

2 updating said one or more data fields by omitting at least a portion of the collected
3 electronic data other than said additional data.

4 21. A method of displaying electronic data, said method comprising:

5 (a) receiving at least a portion of electronic data reports from at least one external source,
6 wherein the electronic data reports comprise electronic data collected and compiled, and
7 reported based at least in part on a priority system; and

8 (b) displaying at least a portion of the electronic data reports as a computer output.

9 22. The method of claim 21, wherein said electronic data reports comprise data at least partially
10 relating to online or internet activity.

1 23. The method of claim 21, wherein said priority system comprises comparing one or more
2 threshold values to one or more statistical or representative values of at least a portion of the
3 collected electronic data.

4 24. An article comprising:

5 a storage medium having stored thereon instructions, that when executed by a computing
6 platform, result in execution of an electronic report generator, by:
7 collecting electronic data from at least one external source;
8 compiling said collected electronic data; and

- 9 reporting said compiled electronic data based at least in part on a priority basis.
- 1 25. The article of claim 24, wherein said medium further has stored thereon instructions that, when
2 executed, result in said electronic data being compiled by inserting at least a portion of said
3 collected electronic data into one or more data fields.
- 1 26. The article of claim 24, wherein said medium further has stored thereon instructions that, when
2 executed, result in determining one or more measurement values of said electronic data,
3 wherein said measurement values comprise one or more representative values of at least a
4 portion of said collected electronic data.
- 1 27. The article of claim 24, wherein said medium further has stored instructions that, when
2 executed, result in determining priority based at least in part on the comparison of said one or
3 more measurement values to one or more threshold values, wherein said one or more
4 threshold values comprises one or more numerical values that relate at least in part to said one
5 or more measurement values.
- 1 28. A system for generation of electronic reports comprising:
2 a computing platform;
3 said computing platform being adapted to, in operation, perform the generation of
4 electronic reports by:
5 collecting electronic data from at least one external source;
6 compiling said collected electronic data; and
7 reporting said compiled electronic data based at least in part on a priority basis.
- 1 29. The system of claim 28, wherein compiling said collected electronic data further comprises
2 inserting at least a portion of said collected electronic data into one or more data fields.
- 1 30. The system of claim 28, wherein compiling said collected electronic data further comprises
2 determining one or more measurement values of said collected electronic data, wherein said
3 one or more measurement values comprise one or more representative values of at least a
4 portion of said collected electronic data.

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